



# FACT SHEET

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### 752nd COMMUNICATIONS SQUADRON



The 752nd Communications Squadron is an operational unit of Air Combat Command's 552nd Communications Group, 552nd Air Control Wing, Tinker Air Force Base, Okla.

#### MISSION

The mission of the 752nd Communications Squadron is to provide communications and computer support for E-3 Airborne Warning and Control System (AWACS) aircraft supporting all combatant commanders. The unit provides deployable ground communications support, server, small computer support, information management, and information assurance support for the wing. It also provides communications for the mission simulators and prepares software, hardware, and communications security (COMSEC) kits for aircrews and wing assets located worldwide. The squadron is comprised of an orderly room and three flights: the Computer Operations Flight, the Communications Systems Flight and the Information Systems Flight.

The Computer Operations Flight maintains the mainframe computer used for software development. It also serves as systems administrator on several other computer systems throughout the wing. It maintains software and security internal to the mainframe and manages a 14,000-item magnetic media library. The

flight builds and issues system software kits for other organizations to use on E-3 aircraft or in simulators.

The Communications Systems Flight is responsible for management of the wing's communications support, including management of the COMSEC account for the wing, deployable ground communications systems, and provides all live radar feeds and external communications for the mission simulators. It also manages all in-garrison ground communications for the wing. The flight coordinates with lateral and higher headquarters on matters of communications in support of the E-3 mission, and on the availability of E-3 communications assets in support of training, exercise, and contingency taskings to include high-frequency systems, secure telephones, land mobile radio, mission records, and frequency assignments.

The Information Systems Flight manages secure and unclassified network operations to include hardware and software assistance for the wing. The flight interfaces with the host-base 72nd Communications Squadron to resolve issues affecting the wing's local area network. It also tracks all automated data processing equipment for the wing. Finally, the flight is responsible for information management and information assurance support for the wing.

The Orderly Room provides personal administration support to all personnel in the 552nd Communications Group. Its various programs and projects include security, mobility, training, finances, manpower, supply, and facilities.

#### HISTORY

The 752nd Communications Squadron was activated in 1992 as the 552nd Ground Computer Squadron. In 1994, as a result of major command realignment and deactivation of the 28th Air Division, the squadron was redesignated the 752nd Computer Systems Squadron. On August 8, 2003, the squadron was redesignated 752nd Communications Squadron to correctly align the squadron with its global mission and emphasize both communications support for the AWACS mission and its traditional communications functions.

The past and present commanders are as follows:

Lt Col Richard I. Marmon	1992-1993
Lt Col Johnny L. Trivette	1993-1995
Maj Steven C. Muhs	1995-1997
Maj Thomas J. Hains	1997-1999
Lt Col Carol V. Goff	1999-2001
Lt Col James J. Tomaszewski	2001-2003
Lt Col Sharyn M. McWhorter	2003-present

**(Current as of June 2004)**